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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<p>In re the Application of:</p> <p>TEUNIS TEL ET AL.</p> <p>Serial No.: U.S.Nat'l. Phase of PCT/NL2004/000422</p> <p>Filed: DECEMBER 13, 2005</p> <p>For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PERFORMING A TRANSACTION AND FOR PERFORMING A VERIFICATION OF LEGITIMATE ACCESS TO, OR USE OF DIGITAL DATA</p>	<p>ATTN. APPLICATION BRANCH</p>
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING FILING**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Any fee not covered by a check accompanying this paper and necessary for consideration of this Preliminary Amendment response may be charged to Deposit Account Number 03-3975.

**Amendments to the Specification: None.**

**Amendments to the Claims:** reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings: None**

**Remarks:** begin on page 9 of this paper.